

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Sunday, September 06, 2020  
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- **Day 1 (Sunday):** Elevated to critical fire weather conditions continue today with warm, dry and locally breezy conditions. High heat impacts are expected across Inland and Southern regions.

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# WEATHER KEY POINTS

**09/06/20 - 09/12/20**

## Friday-Thursday

- Hot temperatures will lead to High to Very High heat concerns across the state through Labor Day
  - Poor overnight recoveries are expected through Tuesday.
  - Temperatures of 10-20 degrees above normal for Sunday and Monday are expected.
  - Cooler temperatures with Moderate heat concerns will return for Wednesday
- Gusty offshore winds across CA will bring periods of critical fire weather conditions through midweek, especially Monday through early Wednesday, with likely Red Flag conditions.
  - Santa Ana wind event possible late Monday through Wednesday, with widespread Elevated to Critical Fire Weather conditions.
- Dry weather is generally expected to continue statewide
- Reduced air quality will likely remain an issue due to the extensive smoke being produced by the numerous wildfires across the state



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

**09/06/20 - 09/12/20**

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>	Southern	Inland/ Southern	Coastal/ Inland/ Southern	Coastal/ Inland/ Southern	Coastal/ Inland/ Southern		
<b>Snow</b>							
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)</b>							
<b>Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)</b>	All Regions	All Regions	All Regions				
<b>Heat Risk</b>	Southern/ Inland/ Coastal	Southern/ Inland/ Coastal	Southern/ Inland/ Coastal	Southern/ Inland	Inland	Southern	
<b>Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

09/06/20 - 09/08/20

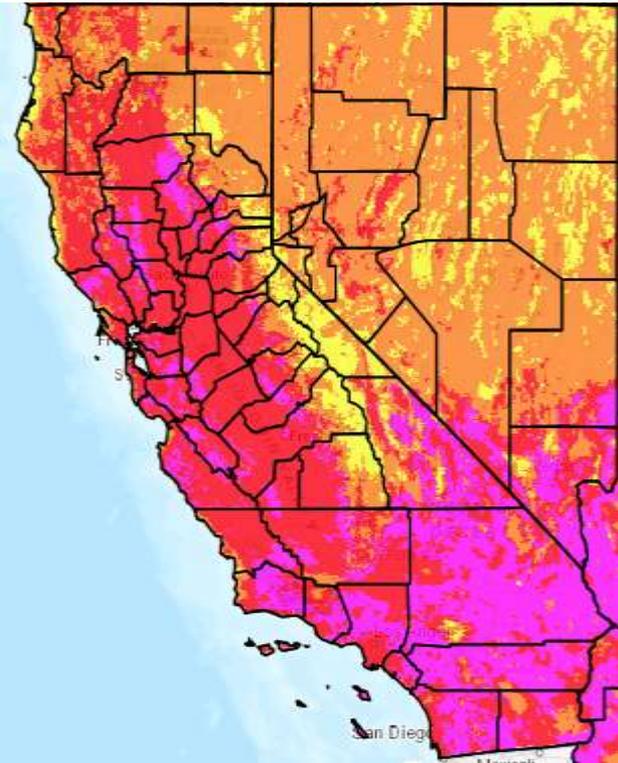
Dry conditions are expected through Tuesday

Precipitation (inches)

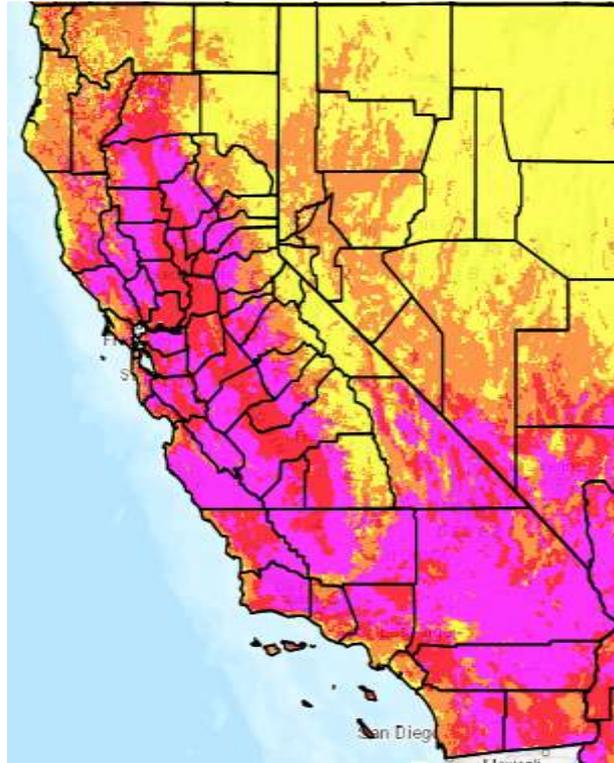


# EXPERIMENTAL HEAT RISK FORECAST

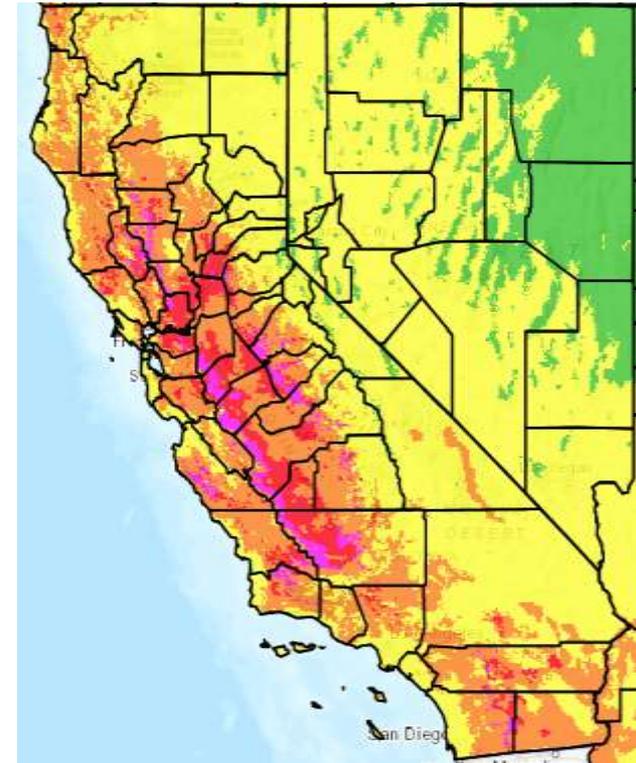
## 09/06/20 - 09/08/20



Sunday



Monday



Tuesday

Category	Level	Meaning	Category	Level	Meaning
Green	0	No Elevated Risk	Red	3	High Risk for much of the population, especially those who are heat sensitive and those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration
Yellow	1	Low Risk for those extremely sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration	Magenta	4	Very High Risk for entire population due to long duration heat, with little to no relief overnight
Orange	2	Moderate Risk for those who are sensitive to heat, especially those without effective cooling and/or adequate hydration			



# WEATHER OUTLOOK

**09/11/20 - 09/19/20**

## 6-10 Day Outlook (September 11 – September 15)

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures strongly favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation favored statewide

## 8-14 Day Outlook (September 13 – September 18)

### **Temperatures**

- Above normal temperatures strongly favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Near normal precipitation favored statewide, except below normal across far northern CA.



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